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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

MANUEL RAFAEL,

Defendant.

Defendant Manuel Rafael was sentenced on January 13, 2006, and on March 13, 2006, he surrendered to the Bureau of Prisons to commence service of his sentence. Because Mr. Rafael's criminal case is now concluded, the Court hereby ORDERS that the bond in this matter is exonerated. The property posted to secure Mr. Rafael's pretrial release shall be returned to its rightful owners forthwith.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: April 3 2006

D. LOWELL JENSEN United States District Court

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